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SUBJECT: SOVIET SHIPPING PRESENCE IN EAST AFRICA

DEPARTMENT INTERESTED IN INCIDENCE OF INVOLVEMENT OF SOVIET
SHIPPING IN EAST AFRICAN TRADE. RUMORS CIRCULATING THAT
SOVIET BESTA LINES AND BALTIC SHIPPING COMPANY HAVE
INCREASED ACTIVITY BY OFFERING EXTRA CAPACITY AND/OR LO'ER
RATES. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION
ADDRESSEES CAN PROVIDE REGARDING EXTENT OF SOVIET SHIPPING
PRESENCE AND IF INFORMATION AVAILAPLE DETAILS ON RATES
AND/OR THEIR COMPARABILITY WITH THOSE OF WESTERN SHIPPING
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Message Attributes

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